COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN EXAMINATION OF THE APPLICATION OF THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE OF BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION FROM NOVEMBER 1, 2013 THROUGH APRIL 30, 2014	CASE NO. 2014-00230
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ORDER

On August 13, 2014, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:056, the Commission established Case No. 2014-00230 to review and evaluate the operation of the Fuel Adjustment Clause ("FAC") of Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers") for the six-month period that ended on April 30, 2014. One of the issues under review, but not yet concluded in that case, is the methodology being utilized by Big Rivers for allocating fuel cost between native load customers and off-system sales.

On February 5, 2015, the Commission established Case No. 2014-00455, also pursuant to 807 KAR 5:056, to review and evaluate the operation of Big Rivers' FAC for the two-year period from November 1, 2012, through October 31, 2014. That two-year period includes the six-month period that ended April 30, 2014, and is still under review in Case No. 2014-00230. Finding that Big Rivers' fuel cost allocation methodology should be investigated in the pending two-year FAC review, as well as in the pending

six-month FAC review, and to achieve administrative efficiency and economy, the Commission, on its own motion, HEREBY ORDERS that:

- 1. Case No. 2014-00230 is consolidated with Case No. 2014-00455. All future filings relating to any issue in either case shall contain the styles of both cases and shall be filed in Case No. 2014-00455.
- 2. Case No. 2014-00230 shall remain on the Commission's docket until such time as a final order is entered in these consolidated cases.
- 3. All parties to Case No. 2014-00230 are deemed to be parties to Case No. 2014-00455.

By the Commission

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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